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SUBJECT: TRADE COMPLAINT: EMPIRE ENGINEERING CO. LTD.

ACTING FOR THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT (HKG) VS:

SILCOX AIRCONDITIONING CORPORATION, 70 PINE ST.,

NEW YORK, N.Y. 100

1. HONG KONG DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY HAS REQUESTED CONSULATE GENERAL'S INTERVENTION IN SUBJECT DISPUTE. EMPIRE ENGINEERING COMPLAINS THAT TWO ACME DXMA-1007-S WATER CHILLERS SUPPLIED BY SILCOX IN 1974 WERE FOUND TO LEAK AFTER INSTALLATION AND TESTING. LOCAL SURVEY FIRM CONFIRMED DEFECT IN REPORT DATED NOVEMBER 6, 1974. HKG REFUSES TO ACCEPT DEFECTIVE CHILLERS AND EMPIRE ENGINEERING SEEKS THEIR REPLACEMENT BY SILCOX. SILCOX HAS, SO FAR, REFUSED TO COMPLY.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S INVESTIGATION OF THIS MATTER.  
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